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COMPOSITE FIBER MATERIAL, AND METHOD FOR MAKING

SAME"

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SIR:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicant requests that citation and examination of the following documents be made during the course of examination of the above-referenced application for United States Letters Patent.

AA United States Patent No. 5,943,389

AL German OS 199 26 741

AM Japanese Application 61-22546

EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE

The above references were identified and discussed at pages 1 and 2 of the present application, and Applicant stands by the statements in the specification concerning the teachings of these references. Translations of the non-English language references are not readily available to the Applicant, however, each of those references has an English language abstract attached thereto.

Copies of each of the above references together with Form 1449 are submitted herewith.

As of the date of mailing of this Information Disclosure Statement, a First Office Action on the merits has not been received in connection with this application. This Information Disclosure Statement is therefore in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3), and no fee is necessary.

All claims of the application are submitted to be patentable over the teachings of the above references, taken singly or in combination. Early consideration of the application is therefore respectfully requested.

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